

6 made twelve months after said Bank shall have com-
7 menced operations.

SEC. 12. *Be it further enacted,* That the Directors of
2 the said Bank may declare, semi-annually, dividends of
3 the profits thereof; and if at any time, more than the
4 real profits are divided, the Directors assenting thereto,
5 shall be responsible, in their private capacities, to credit-
6 ors who have claims against said institution.

SEC. 13. *Be it further enacted,* That the President
2 of this Bank shall, in the first week in December, in each
3 and every year, transmit to the General Assembly, a full
4 statement of the condition of the Bank, exhibiting the
5 amount of capital, notes in circulation, debts due to other
6 banks, and to what banks, deposits, and all other par-
7 ticulars necessary to explain the debit side of the account;
8 also specie on hand, notes of other banks, and what
9 banks; bills of exchange, debts on bonds and notes dis-
10 counted, specifying in one item the amount due from
11 stockholders, and in another the amount due from Direc-
12 tors, not, however, using any person's name in either case;
13 and the real estate.

SEC. 14. *Be it further enacted,* That if any Presi-
2 dent, Cashier, or other officer of aforesaid Bank, shall
3 knowingly, willingly, and with intent to deceive, make
4 or cause to be made, or connive at making any false re-
5 turn, statement or exhibit of the condition of the Bank,
6 either to the Treasurer of the State, to the Legislature or
7 to the Board of Directors, or to the Stockholders, or to
8 any other person that may be authorized by the Legisla-
9 ture or by the stockholders, to receive the same, such
10 President, Director, Cashier, Clerk or other officer; and
11 all persons aiding or abetting in such deception or false
* 12 return, shall be liable to be indicted for a misdemeanor